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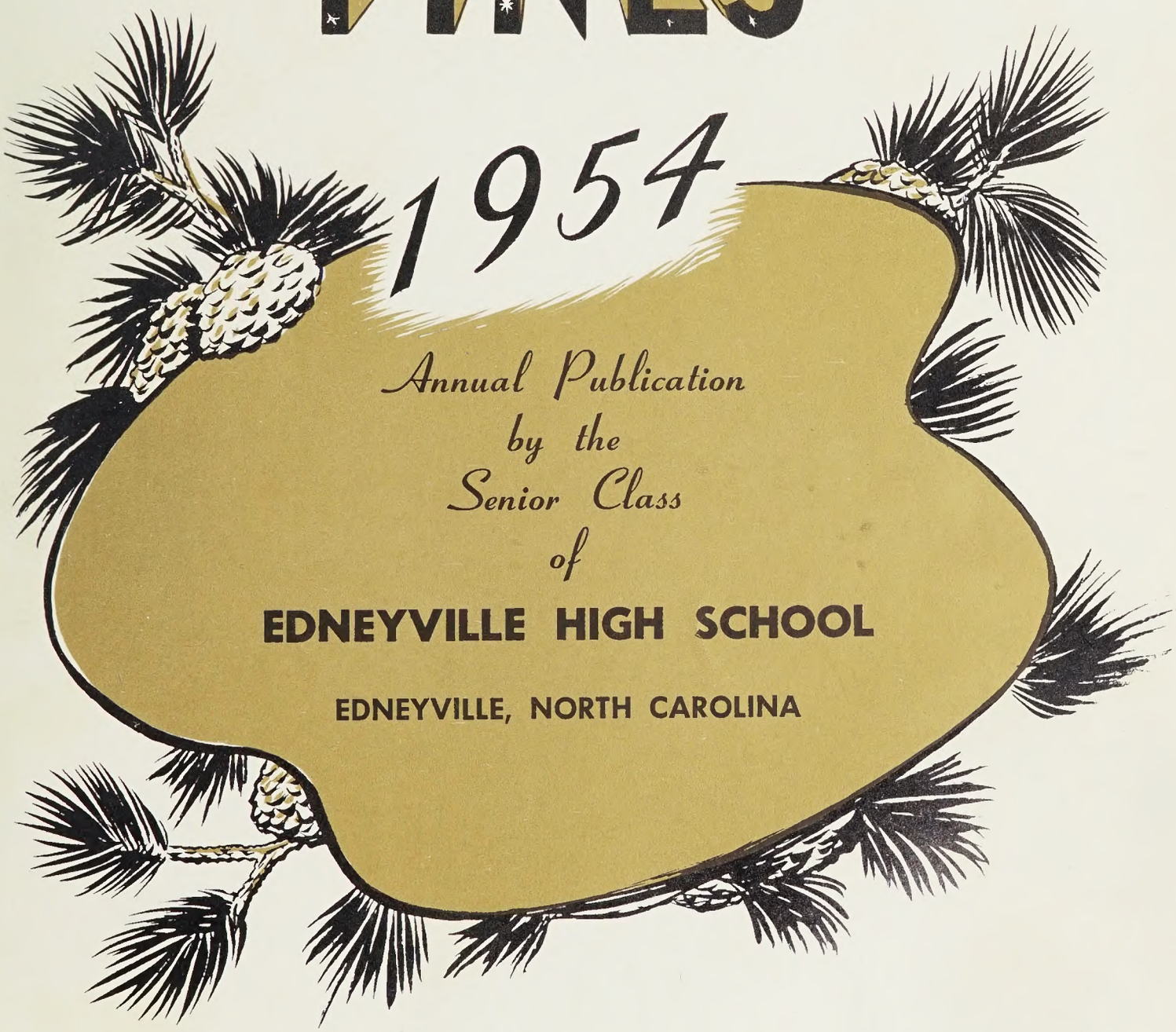

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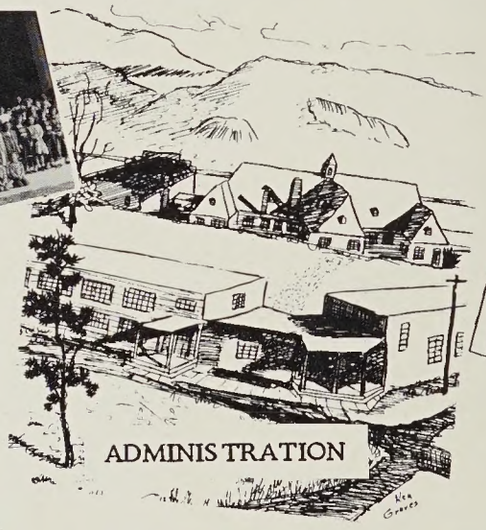
EDNEYVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

FOREWORD

We, the students of Edneyville High School, are those who have been brought together by a common interest and cause in taking advantage of the opportunities to develop more fully our lives. In using Shirley Lyda as a model, we have tried to personify the entire student body, in the delightful environment of work and play. As we have been drawn closer to each other with bonds of friendship and mutual experience, we have learned to respect and cherish the ideals and efforts of those who have our interests at heart. That which has enriched our lives --- the laughter, tears, work and play --- has constituted our life at Edneyville. Therefore we have selected "A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A STUDENT AT EDNEYVILLE" as the theme of the '54 Whispering Pines.

A Day in the Life of a Student at Edneyville

LIFE AT EDNEYVILLE



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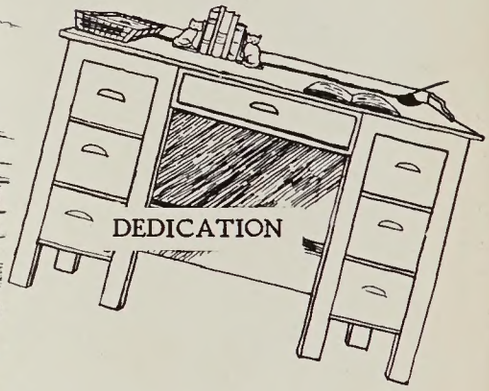

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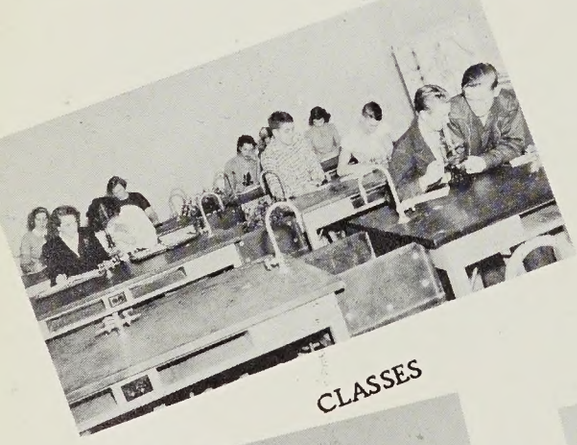

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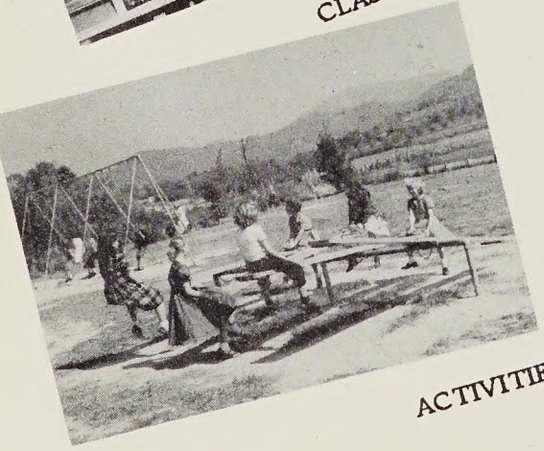

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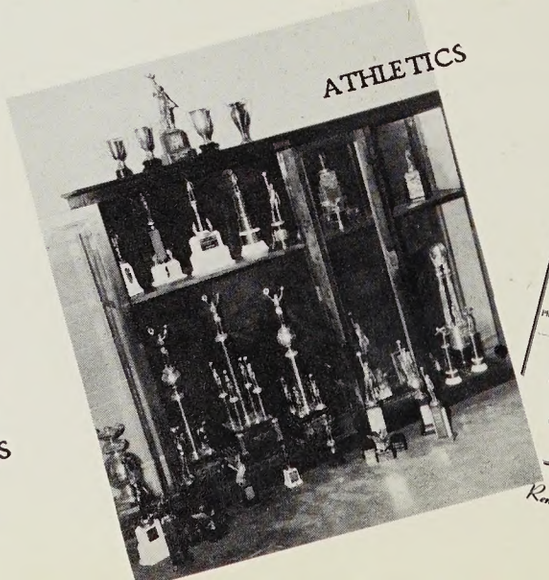

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DEDICATION

By dedicating this, the 1954 edition of Whispering Pines to Mrs. John Burroughs, we wish to extend, in this small way, a token of our esteem and admiration to one who has faithfully and earnestly labored in our behalf.

Never will we forget the wise teacher and friend who has so often assisted us in the struggle for education and knowledge. In the years to come we shall reflect upon her outstanding patience, perseverance and guidance. Thusly, with these thoughts in mind of one who has been so grandly helpful, we the seniors of the class of 1954, do dedicate this edition of Whispering Pines.

ADMINISTRATION

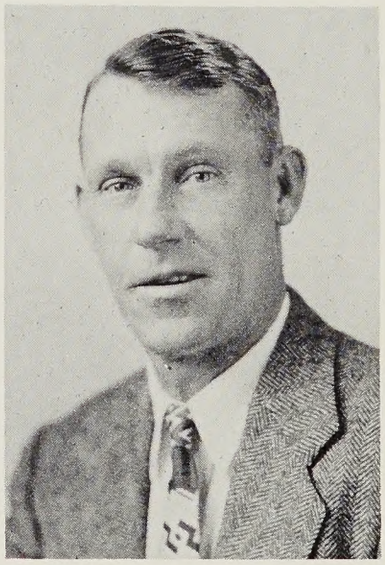
J. M. FOSTER
Superintendent of
Henderson County Schools

W. J. NESBITT
Principal

Edneyville Schools are standard and meet the requirements for entering colleges and universities throughout the State and Nation. Efficient Departments in English, the Natural Sciences, Vocational Home Economics, Mathematics, Social Sciences, Vocational Agriculture, Commerce and the extra-curricular program make for the production of better equipped young men and women who may be successful in either a formal education for a profession or for preparation for the immediate life chores.

LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD

BILL WILSON
Chairman



FRED LYDA

TOM OATES

HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

The proverb, "More is caught than is taught", may well be applied to our lives as we have been challenged to develop intellectually, morally, and socially under the guidance of a worthy faculty.

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English and French

MISS ELIZABETH CODY
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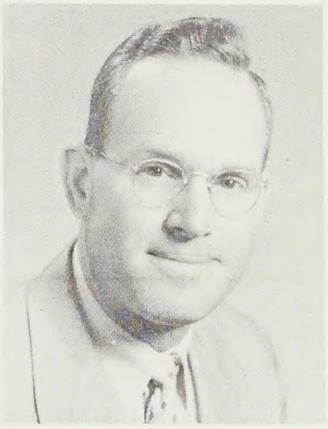

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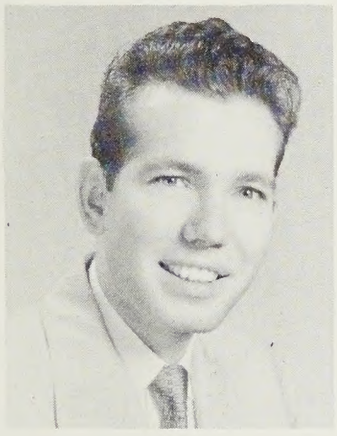

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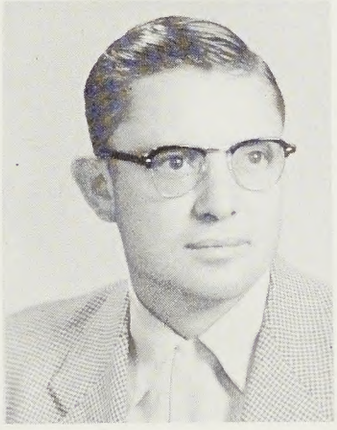

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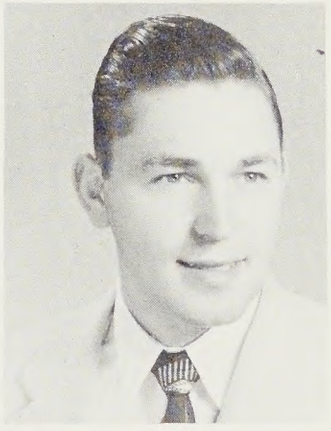

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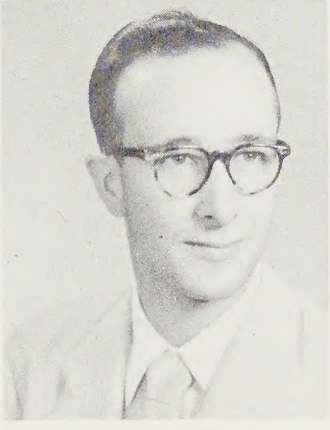

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Piano and Glee Club

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A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A STUDENT AT

Physical Education--Plenty of exercise .....

English, MacBeth, and Mrs. Burroughs-- also very tough

X plus Y = algebra and some tough problems..

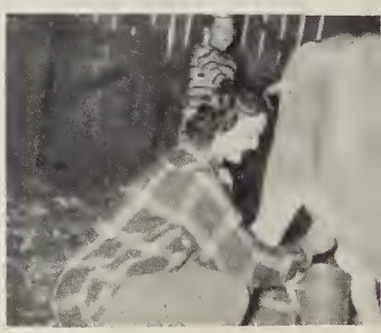
Devotional -- also a daily affair .....

Daily greetings being exchanged around lockers .....

Start of a very busy day ....

Chores accomplished, homework finished, and then to bed---end of a hard day .....

Our valiant student engages in a tug-of-war .....



Completely absorbed in Chemistry .....

Cafeteria--Not soup, beans and macaroni again .....

Finding time after lunch for a stroll .....

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OF A

EDNEYVILLE

We love Paris but not the French language .....

Preparing to be a good secretary by learning shorthand .....

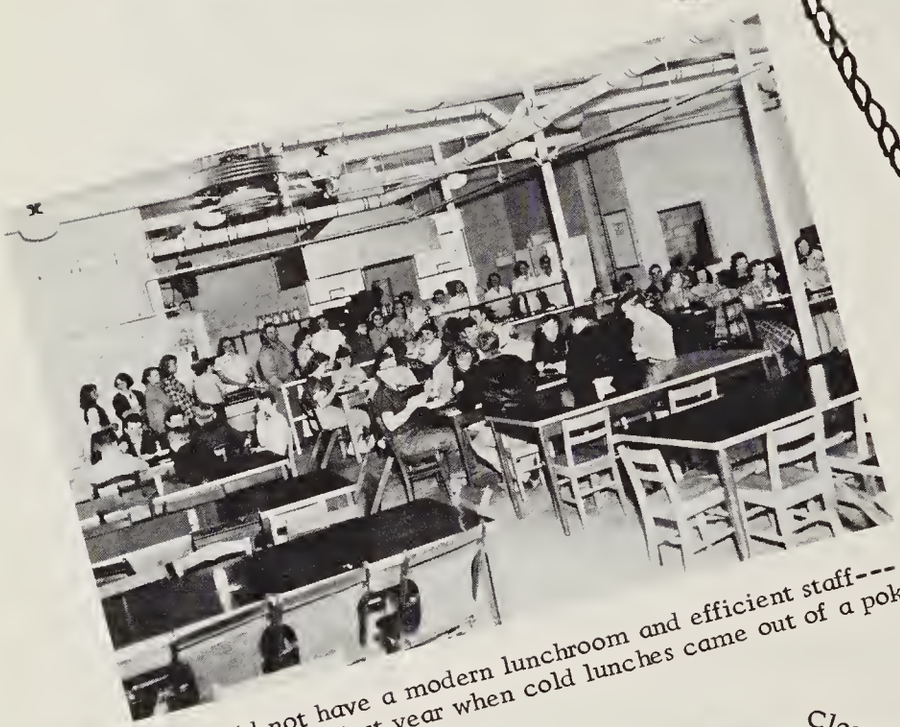
Activity--preparing for an oration .....

Most popular meeting place-- "the store" .....

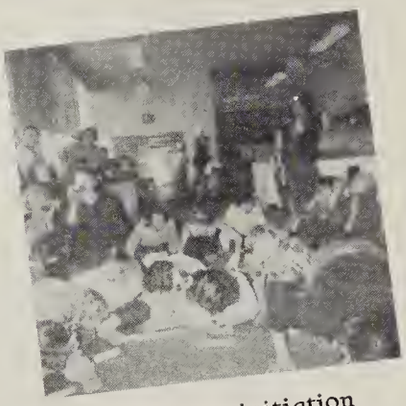
On the way home by bus

LIFE

What Would Life At Edneyville Be Like . . .

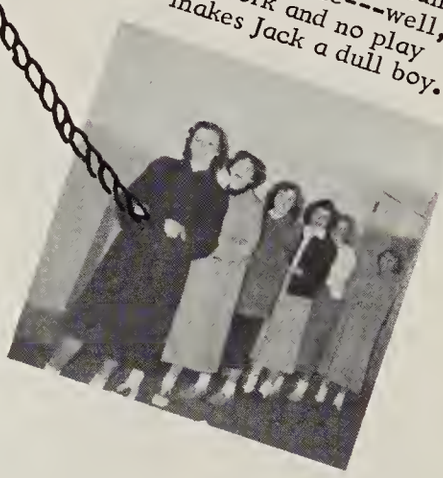


If we did not have a modern lunchroom and efficient staff---well, we knew last year when cold lunches came out of a poke.

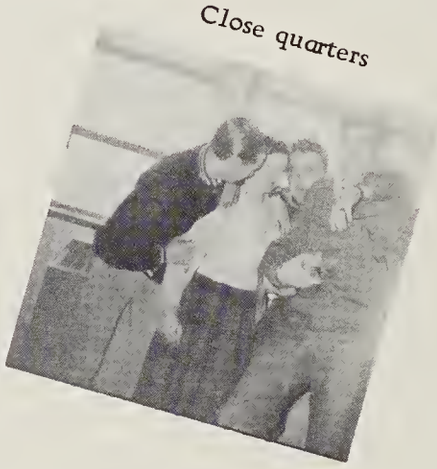


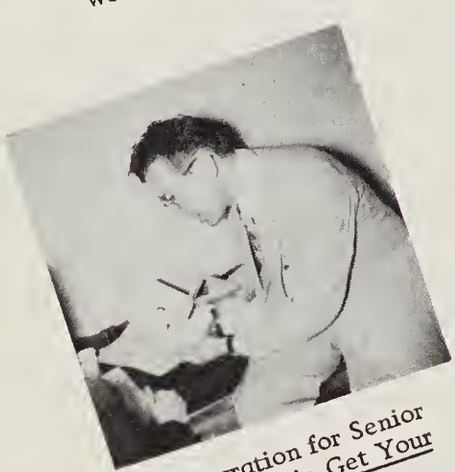
Just another initiation

If we didn't have fun at Edneyville---well, all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy.



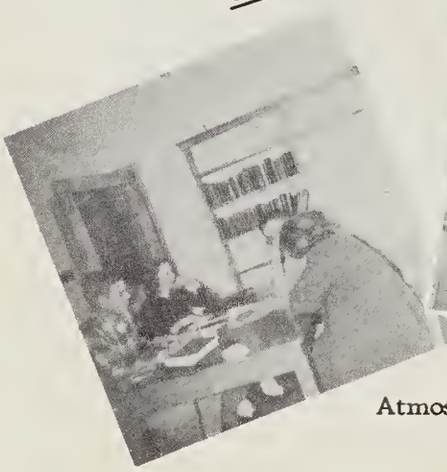
Close quarters





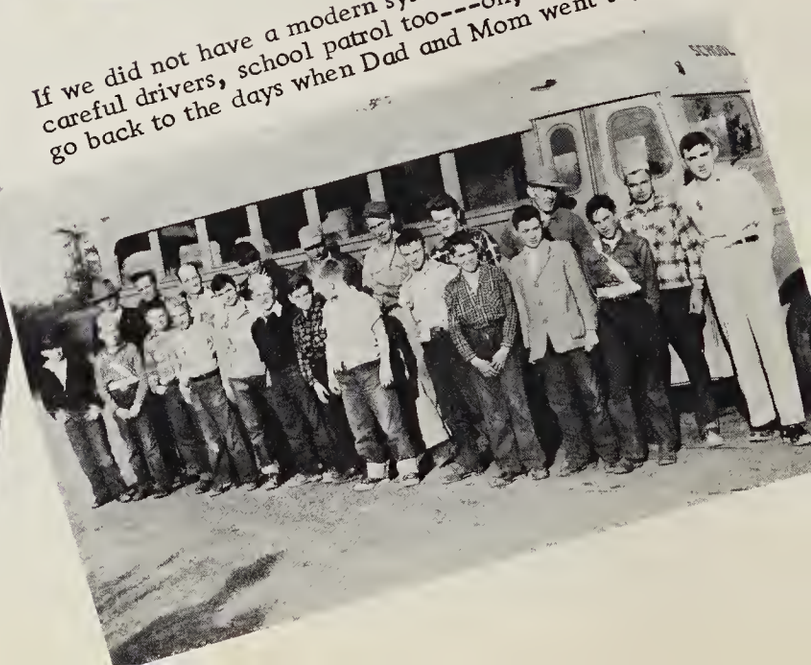
Preparation for Senior Play, Annie Get Your Gun

Getting mimeograph paper for a test



Atmosphere of romance

If we did not have a modern system of transportation and careful drivers, school patrol too---oh, we don't want to go back to the days when Dad and Mom went to school.



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Mascots

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BILL BARNWELL

Professor - "Just for skill".

Key Club 1-4, Vice Pres. 2,3, Sec. & Treas. 4; Delegate to Carolina Convention 3; 4-H Club 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2, Vice Pres. 1; Quill Staff 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4, Pres. 3; Baseball 3,4, Scorekeeper 2,3; Basketball 4; F.T.A. 4; Advisory Council 2, 3,4, Treas. 3; Junior Play 3; Class Vice Pres. 3; Boy Scouts 1,2,3,4; Eagle Scout 1,2,3,4; Delegate to National Jamboree 2.

JERRY BEDDINGFIELD

Bud - "Let's go for the cokes".

Monogram 3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2, 3,4; Folk Dancing 4; Scoreboard Clock 4.

MAVIS BRADLEY

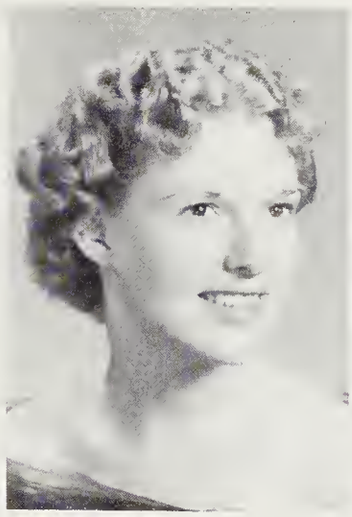
Marvis - "That's nice".

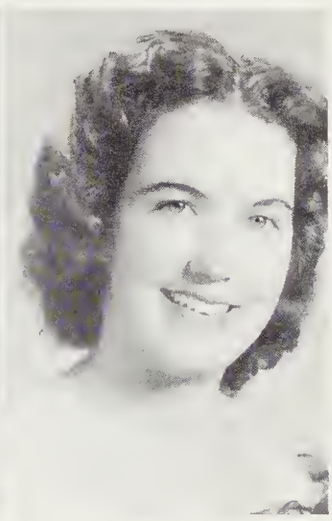
Science Club 2,4; Library Staff 2; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4, Pres. 4; Glee Club 2,3; F.H.A. 1,2.

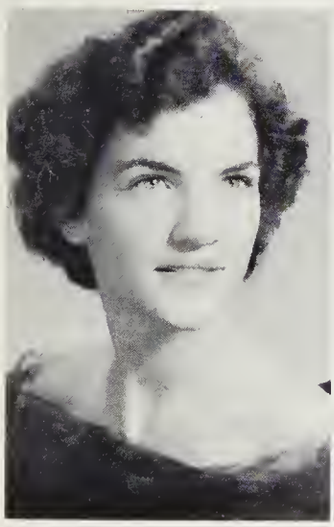
OLA ARTILIA BROWN

Tillie - "What do you think about it?"

Science Club 2,4; Glee Club 2,3; F.H.A. 3; Library Staff 3; Vice Pres. Library Staff 3; Advisory Council 3; Folk Dancing 4; Speech Club 4; Bible Club 4.







RUTH ANN CARTER

Baby - "I guess."

Basketball 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2,3; Science Club 1, 2; Monogram Club 3,4; Folk Dancing 4; County All-Star Team 3.

BETTY JEAN CLINGENPEEL

Bet - "I don't know."

F.H.A. 2,3; Science Club 1,2; Glee Club 3; Girls' Double Trio 3,4; Bible Club 4; Speech Club 4.

PHYLLIS MARTIN COLE

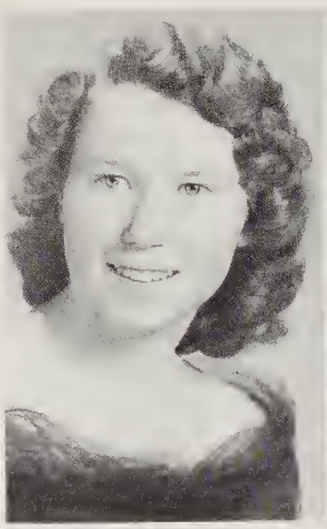
Mrs. Roy Gordon Cole - "Is that so?"

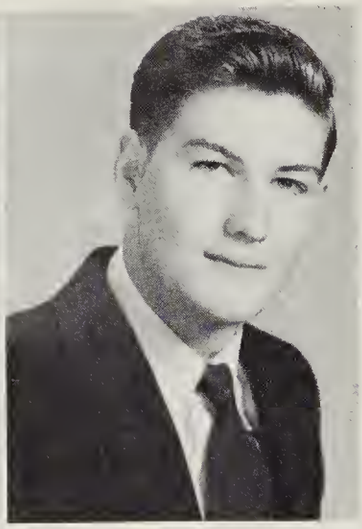
Science Club 2,4; Glee Club 2,3; Bible Club 4; F.H.A. 1,2; Library Staff 3; Sec. Library Staff 3.

JEAN ANN CORIELL

Jan - "That's right, boy."

Transferred from San Antonio, Texas 1,2; Glee Club 3; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4, Pres. 4; Office Receptionist 4.





AMANDA CORN

Bug - "Glory be; what next?"

Glee Club 2,4; Science Club 2,4; Library Staff 3,4, Sec. & Treas. 4; Speech Club 4; F.H.A. 3; Bible Club 4; Advisory Council 4.

DAVID CORN

Dave - "Get a load of that."

Science Club 1,2,4; Quill Staff 3,4; Baseball 3; Basketball 1,3,4.

SUE DALTON

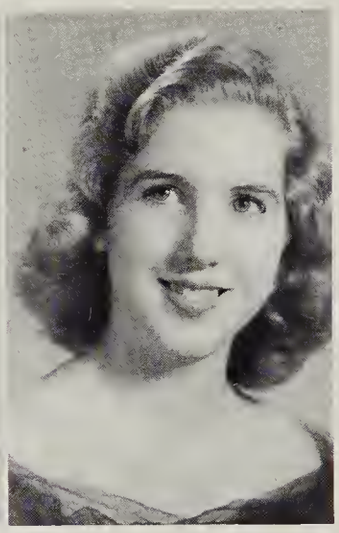
Suzie Cue - "You ain't heard nothing yet."

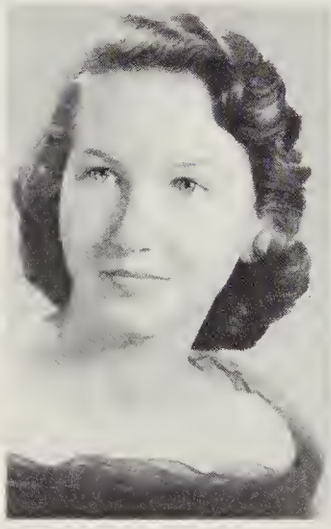
F.H.A. 1,2; Glee Club 2,3; Girls' Double Trio 2,3; Library Staff 3; Bible Club 4; Speech Club 4; Science Club 2,4.

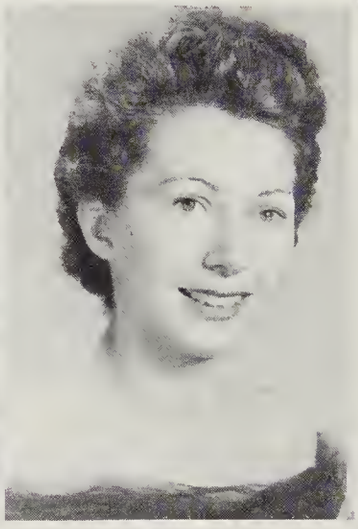
MARY JANE DRAKE

Jane - "My goodness."

Science Club 1,2; F.H.A. 1,2,3; Glee Club 2,3,4; Girls' Double Trio 2,3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Business Manager 4; Advisory Council 1,4; Vice Pres. Advisory Council 1; Sec. of Class 4; Office Receptionist 4; Folk Dancing 4.







VIRGINIA ANN ENLOE

Ginger - "I love you, too."

Class Pres. 1, Vice Pres. 2; Science Club 1,2, Sec. 1; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Pres. 2; Beta Club 2,3,4, Vice Pres. 3; Advisory Council 1,2,3; Glee Club 2,3; Accompanist for Double Trio 2,3,4; Basketball 3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4, Sec. 2,3; Sec. 4-H County Council 2; Quill Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Marshal 3; F.T.A. 4; Miss Hi Miss 4.

EULANE E. FLYNN

Mrs. Ralph D. Flynn - "Huh, what did you say?"

O'Henry Society 1,2; Lee Club 3; Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4; Folk Dancing 4; Science Club 4; Annual Staff 4.

FRANCES ETHELEEN FOWLER

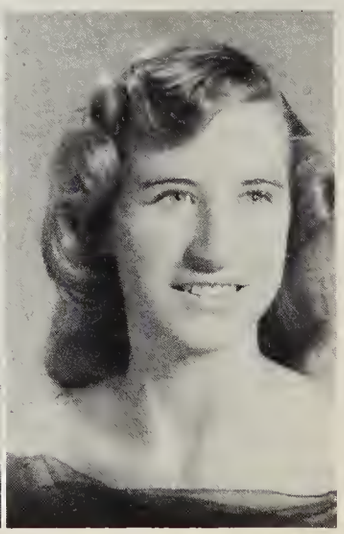
Millie - "I'll give you to understand."

Science Club 2; Glee Club 3; F.H.A. 3; Speech Club 2; Bible Club 4; Folk Dancing 4.

DOLLENE FREEMAN

Doll - "Might as well be."

Science Club 2; F.H.A. 1,2,3; Monogram 3, 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Winner of Bill Wilson Award 3; County All-Star Team.



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ELIZABETH FREEMAN

Liz - "It pays to be ignorant."

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Pres. 3,4; Science Club 2, 4; Annual Staff 4; Marshal 3; American History Award 3; Advisory Council 2,3,4; Beta Club 2, 3,4, Sec. 3, Vice Pres. 4; Glee Club 2, Sec. 2; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4, Vice Pres. 3; Junior Play 3; Speech Club 4.

MILDRED FREEMAN

Til - "Ah, Shut up."

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Parliamentarian of F.H.A. 3; 4-H Club 1; Glee Club 1,2; Beta Club 2,3, 4, Pres. 4; Marshal 3; Junior Play 3; Class Vice Pres. 4; Advisory Council 4.

JoELLA GARREN

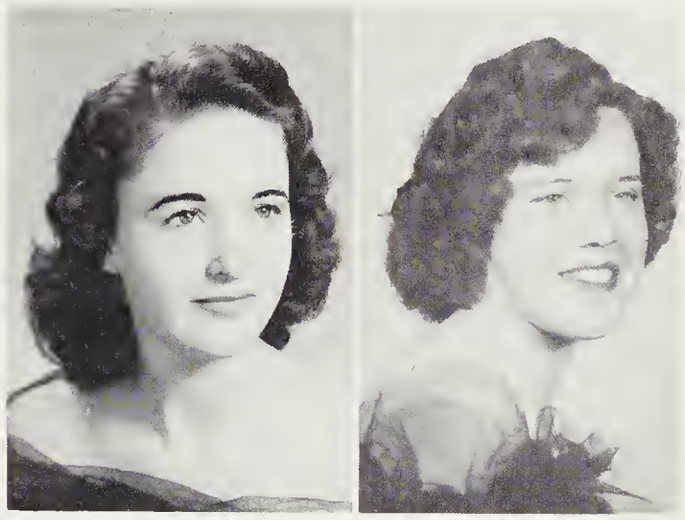
Jet - "You better believe it."

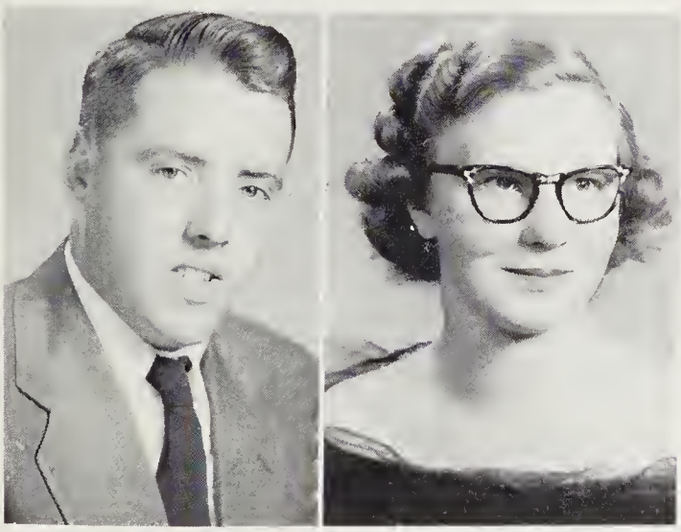
Quill Staff 1,2,3; Monogram Club 3,4; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain of Cheerleaders 3, 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3; Speech Club 2,4; Science Club 2,4; Folk Dancing 4; Glee Club 2,3; Girls' Double Trio 1,2,3,4; Junior Play 3; Apple Festival Representative 3,4; Queen's Court 4.

VIOLA SALLY GARREN

Judy - "You don't mean it."

Class Treas. 1; F.H.A. 1,3; Science Club 2,4; Glee Club 2,3; Folk Dancing 4.





BOBBY DEAN GRIFFIN

Dizzy - "Beats me."

Science Club 1,2; F.F.A. 2; Monogram Club 3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3; Key Club 2,3.

PEGGY HILL

Peg - "Oh! no, not **that** again."

F.H.A. 1,2,3; Science Club 2; Beta Club 2, 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Quill Staff 3,4, Editor of Quill 4; Chief Marshal 3; Citizen of the Year 3; Girls' State Representative 3; Advisory Council 4; Treasurer of Class 2,4; F.T.A. 4.

FRANK HILL

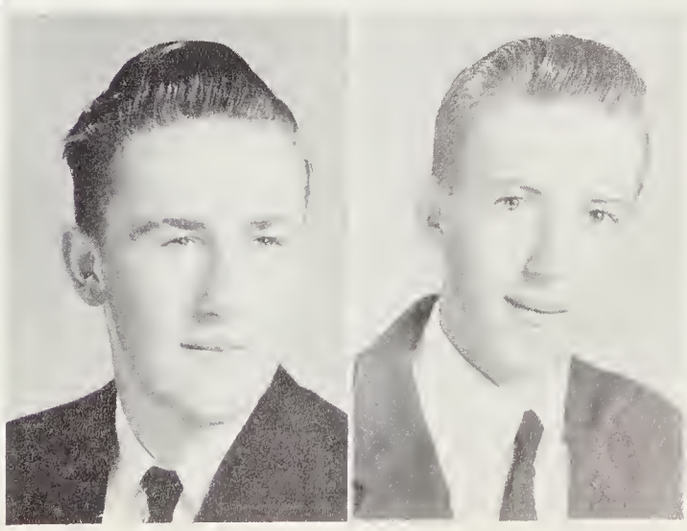
Mister President - "Uhuh yeah."

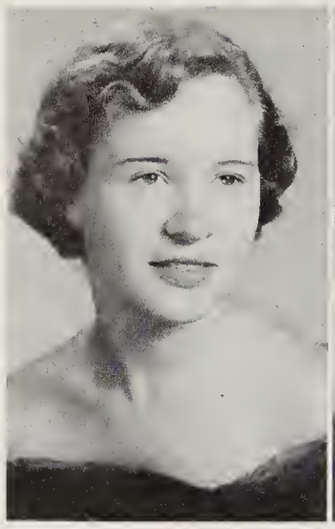
Class Pres. 2,3,4; Advisory Council 2,3,4, Vice Pres. 3, Pres. 4; Key Club 3,4; Pres. of Key Club 4; Annual Staff 3,4, Editor 4; Science Club 1,2.

CURTIS HOLBERT

Curt - "I'm late again."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, Pres. 3; Glee Club 3,4, Vice Pres. 3; Bible Club 4.





WINONA HUDSON

Nonnie - "I hate to think it wasn't."

Cheerleader 1,2,3,4, Co-Captain 3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3; Science Club 2,4; Folk Dancing 4; Speech Club 4; Glee Club 2,3.

BEATRICE JACKSON

Bea - "What makes you think so?"

Glee Club 3; Science Club 2,4; Library Staff 3,4, Pres. 4; Speech Club 4; F.H.A. 3; Bible Club 4; Advisory Council 4.

JACK JACKSON

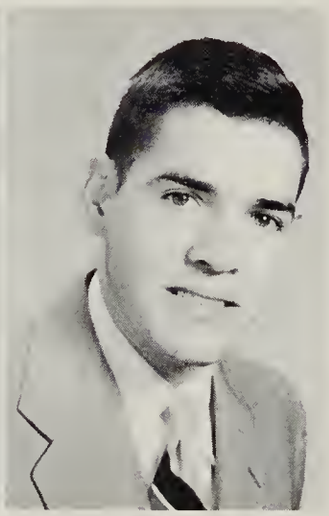
Jackson - "I'm like you."

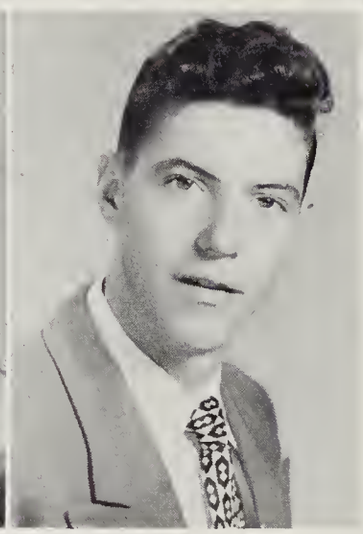
F.F.A. 1,2,4; Folk Dancing 4; Science Club 2.

MACK JACKSON

Mark-"What do you think about that, Frank?"

F.F.A. 1,2; Speech Club 3,4 Vice Pres. 3; Vice Pres. of Science Club 2; Key Club 4.





SYLVIA JONES

Jones - "You wouldn't know, would you?"

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Science Club 2; Quill Staff 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Monogram Club 4.

BOB LANCASTER

Robert - "Ah heck."

Science Club 1,2; Baseball 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4.

JUNE LAUGHTER

Juin - "Aw, Shut up."

F.H.A. 1,2,4; Science Club 2; Beta Club 2, 3,4; Glee Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4.

FRED LINDSAY

J. F. - "I'll beat you on the take-off."

Key Club 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Folk Dancing 4; Science Club 1,2; Quill Staff 2,3,4.

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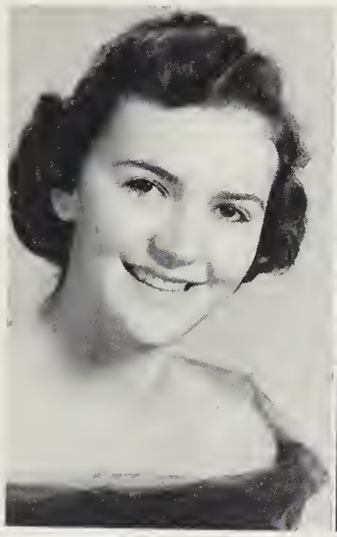
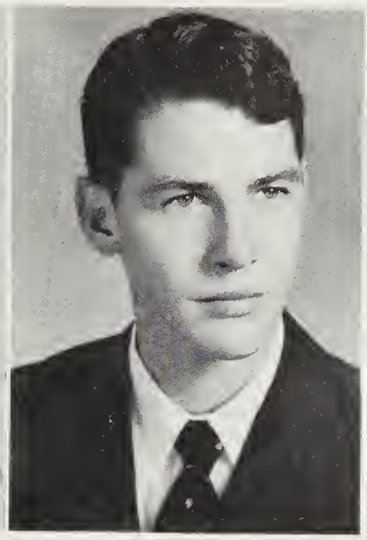




SHIRLEY LYDA

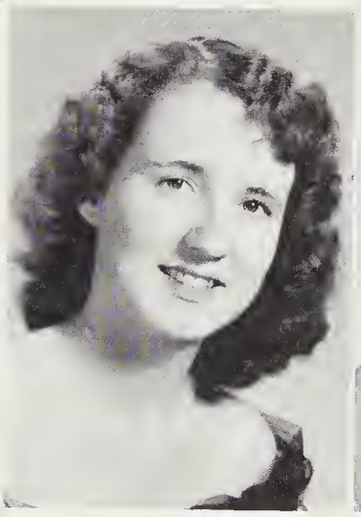
Shirl - "Why no."

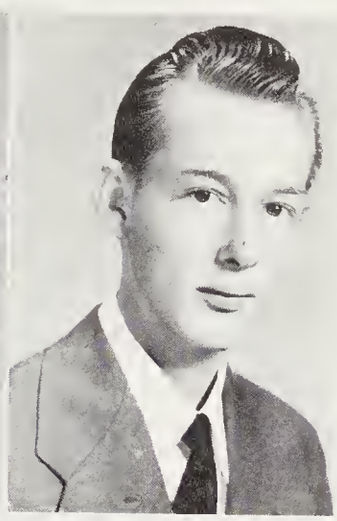
F.H.A. 1,2,3, Vice Pres. 3; Science Club 3; Beta Club 2,3,4, Sec. 4; Quill Staff 3, 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Marshal 3; Apple Festival Representative 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Advisory Council 3,4; Speech Club 4; Monogram Club 4, Treasurer 4.

LARRY LYNCH

Twister - "Aw, no stuff!"

Science Club 2; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Folk Dancing 4.





GAIL MAXWELL

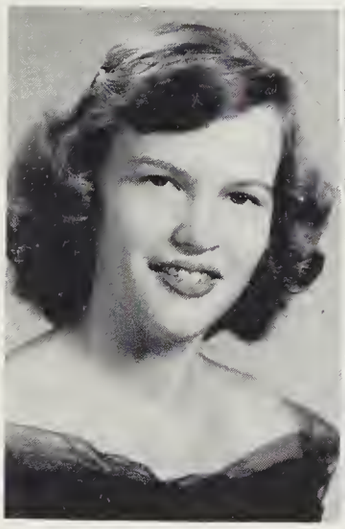
Gailie Mae - "Don't get excited."

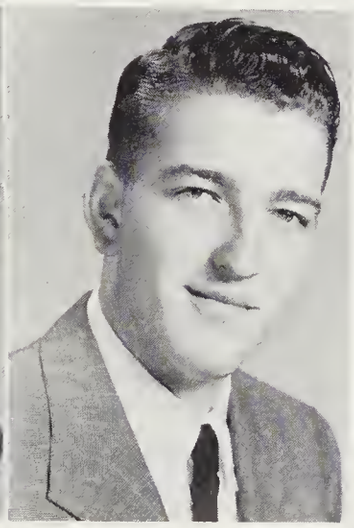
Science Club 1,2,4; Girls' Double Trio 1,2, 3,4; F.H.A. 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Class Secretary 1.

J. Z. MAXWELL

Pee Wee - "I didn't do that."

Key Club 1,2; F.F.A. 1; Folk Dancing 4; Explorer Scouts 1.





ELENA ANN McMINN

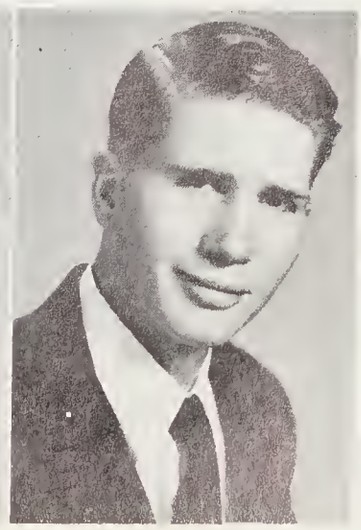
Woog - "I feel so unnecessary."

Science Club 1,4; F.H.A. 2; Speech Club 4; Glee Club 3; Folk Dancing 4; Library Staff 3.

BOBBY MESSER

Bob - "Let's do three or two of those."

Key Club 2,3,4, Treas. 3; Science Club 1,2; Monogram Club 4; Vice Pres. of Monogram Club 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Junior Play 3; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 3,4; Treasurer of Class 3; Folk Dancing 4.



LOIS MERRELL

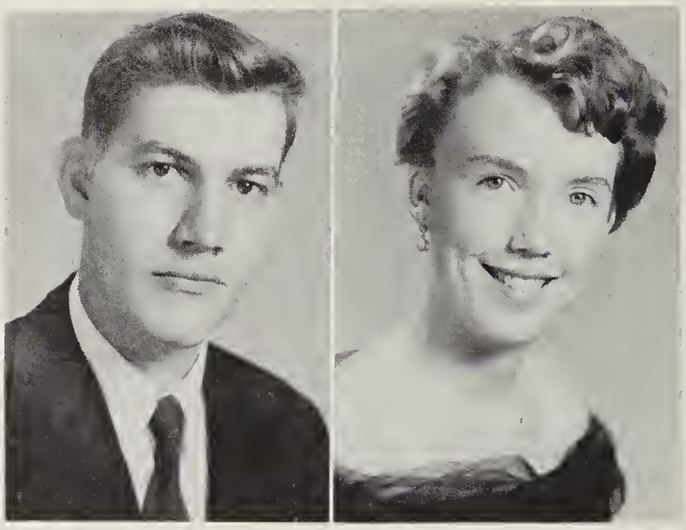
Blondie - "Law me."

Science Club 2,4; Glee Club 2,3; Bible Club 4; Basketball 3; F.H.A. 1,2; Library Staff 3.

KEITH MOSS

Moose - "Ah, shut up."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Science Club 2,4; Basketball 2,3; Folk Dancing 4.



CARROLL NEAL

Hot Rod - "I can't do that."

4-H Club 1; Science Club 1,2; Speech Club 3, 4; Bus Patrol 3.

PATRICIA ANN NEWMAN

Ann - "Guess who came to Five Points last night?"

Glee Club 2,3; Science Club 2; F.H.A. 2; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4.

JULIA OWENBY

Judy - "You old tick."

4-H Club 1; Science Club 3,4; Glee Club 2, 3; Secretary of Glee Club 3; Library Staff 3, 4; Speech Club 4; Bible Club 4.

BETTY ANN RHODES

Bet - "You don't know, do you?"

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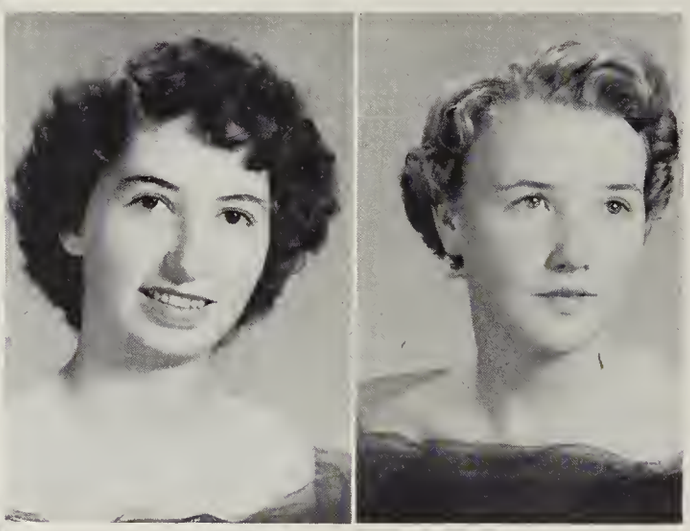
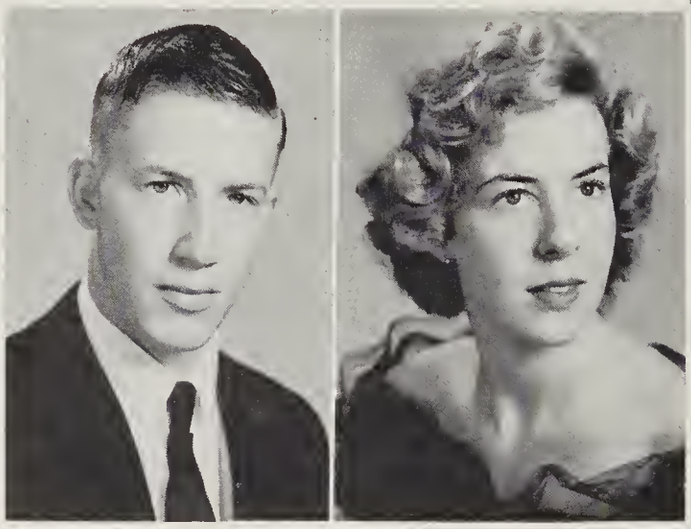




JOHN RHODES

John - "Let's don't."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Science Club 2,4.

BETTY JEAN RHYMER

Bet - "I'll say, I'd hate to think I couldn't."

Beta Club 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Quill Staff 2,3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Sec. of 4-H Club 1; Girls' Double Trio 3,4; Glee Club 3,4; Science Club 2,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Library Staff 2,3; Junior Play 3; Folk Dancing 4; Office Receptionist 3; County All-Star Team 3.

PEGGY SAUNDERS

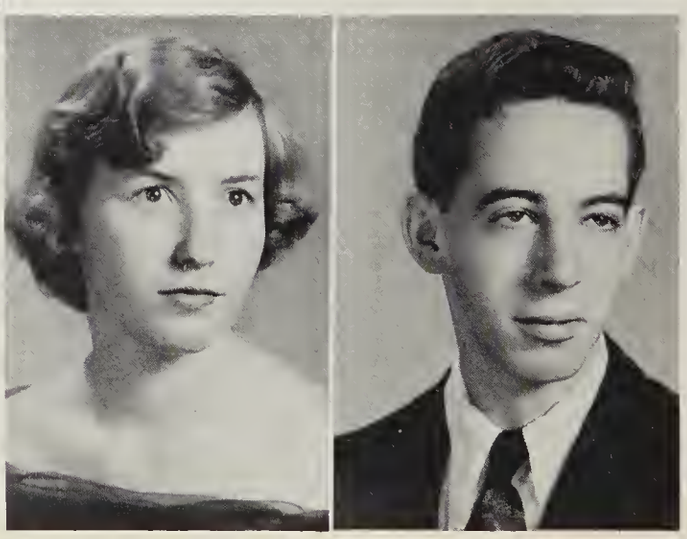
Peg - "You think I care, don't you?"

Science Club 2; F.H.A. 3; Library Staff 3; Glee Club 3; Bible Club 4; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4; Office Receptionist 4.

JIMMY STEPP

Jim - "What the 'eck."

Science Club 1, 2, 4;



GLEN STEVENS

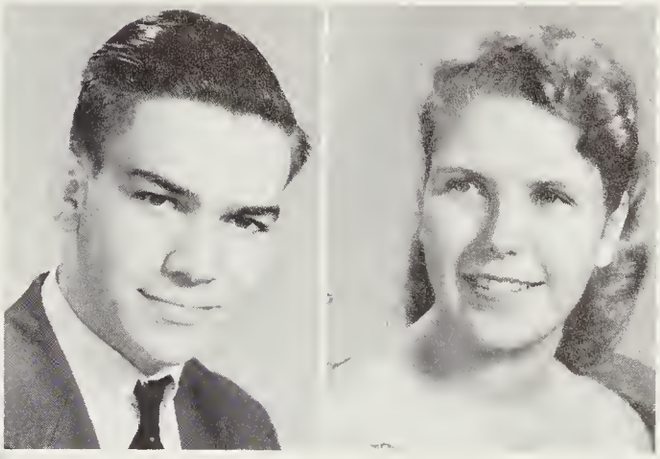
Shorty - "Oh me!"

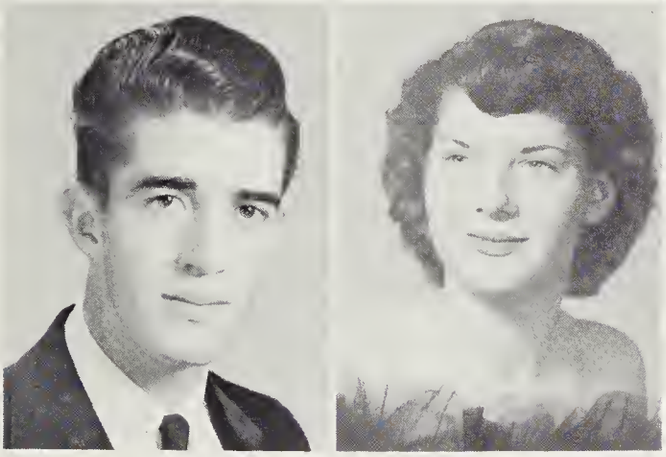
Science Club 4; Glee Club 1; Folk Dancing 4; Advisory Council 4; Science Club Pres. 4.

JOAN WILSON

Jan - "Parlez-vous francais."

Basketball 1,2,4; F.H.A. 1,2; Annual Staff 3,4; Advertising Manager 4; Glee Club 2,3; Beta Club 2,3,4; Girls' Double Trio 2,3,4; Science Club 2,4; Sec. of Class 3; Monogram Club 3,4, Sec. 3,4; Advisory Council 3,4; Sec. of Advisory Council 3,4; Marshal 3; Junior Play 3; Folk Dancing 4; Queen of Halloween Carnival 2; F.T.A. 4.





JAMES McCRAW

Sharkie - "I'll betcha."

Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Folk Dancing 4; Monogram 3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Science Club 4.

GWENN BURNETTE

Beckie - "Oh, don't do that."

Transferred from Warwick High School 1,2, 3; Folk Dancing 4; Speech Club 4.

Miss Hi Miss

Virginia Ann Enloe

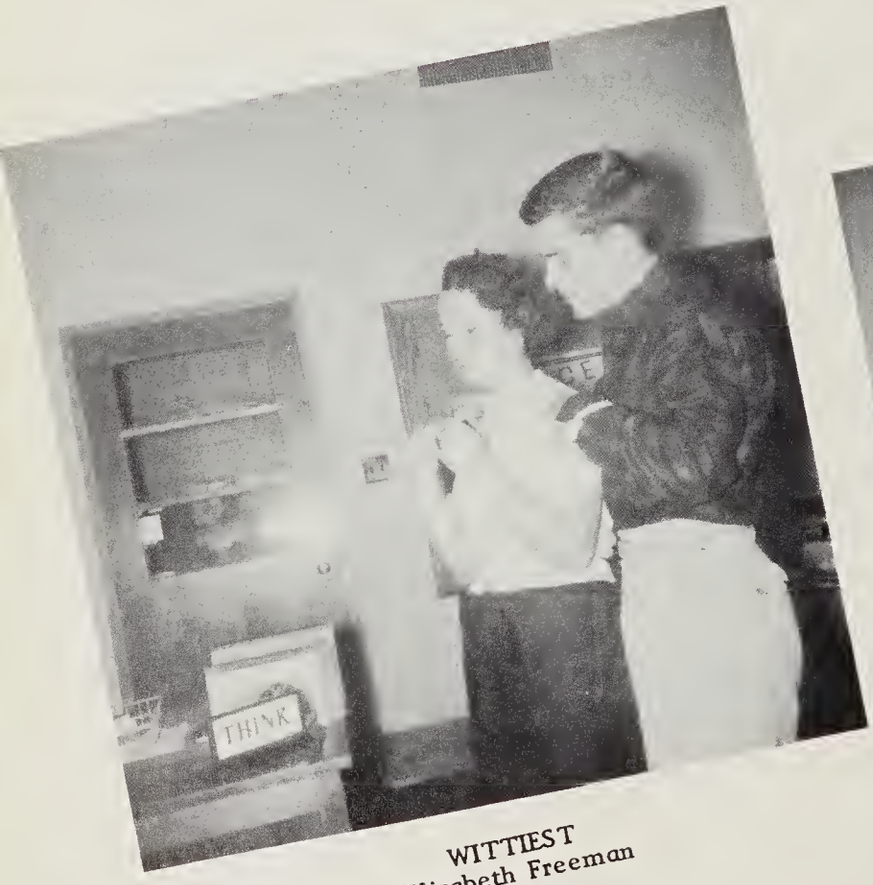
Girls' State Representative

Peggy Hill

HALL

MOST POPULAR
Shirley Lyda
and
Freddie Lindsay

BEST DRESSED
Gail Maxwell
and
Bobby Lancaster



WITTIEST
Elizabeth Freeman
and
Mack Jackson

FRIENDLIEST
Jean Coriell
and
Larry Lynch

# of FAME

BEST ALL ROUND
Mildred Freeman
and
Bobby Messer

MOST ATHLETIC
Dollene Freeman
and
David Corn

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Peggy Hill
and
Frank Hill

CUTEST
Beatrice Jackson
and
J. Z. Maxwell

SENIORS REMINISCE

One-half score and two years ago, during the year 1941, our excursion into education began. Even during our primary years, when we were taking our first steps toward more knowledge, such terms as leadership, initiative, good character, and achievement were being introduced into our slowly expanding intellect. Our class consisted of a much smaller group than now. We not only lacked pupils but were sorely lacking in facilities. We did not have the modern high school building which we enjoy today; instead both the upper and lower grades were established in one overcrowded building. We were most unfortunate in not having a suitable auditorium, so our grammar grade "productions" were given in the inconvenience of the gymnasium. We were also lacking in commissary facilities, so we ate in the old building, remodeled into a lunchroom. Oh, those memories of struggling up the stairs to the old lunchroom!

As the years passed in elementary school our classes became more crowded and we realized the desperate need for a new building. Then our opportunity came; and we, in our insignificant manner, helped to carry the school bond election. This was a goal we had been trying to achieve for such a long time that we could not allow it to slip through our fingers now.

Finally, when we were Sophomores in high school, our dreams had come true. We now had a new school building and an auditorium, something every other school in the county envied, and something we were extremely proud of due to our long need. But before this event we might do well to mention our entrance into high school. Who can describe the gay, giddy feeling that comes to every Freshman? Fortunately, some of us remained normal enough to counterbalance the irresponsibilities of the others. Perhaps the acquisition of a new building helped improve our morale and school spirit to some extent.

During our Junior year we were greatly saddened by the loss of our beloved homeroom teacher, Miss Mattie Sue French. Her untimely death was a great blow, and her memory will remain in our hearts forever.

After determining the cast and two weeks of hard work at rehearsing, we presented our Junior Play, "There Goes The Bride", under the direction of Mrs. Burroughs, who replaced Miss French as director of the play.

The play was quite a success, and we were able to give the Seniors one of the most elaborate banquets held up to that time.

Hawaiian Paradise was the theme, and the gymnasium was beautifully decorated to achieve that effect.

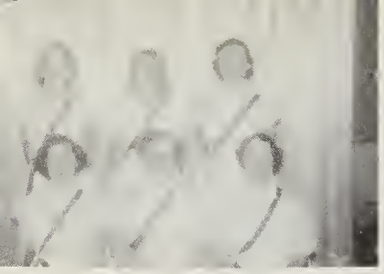
We now entered into our fourth and final year of high school as Seniors where amid fund raising campaigns, picture taking, Career Day, College Day, measuring for caps and gowns, and several difficult subjects we found complete absorption. Two other delightful episodes are worthy of being recorded here: namely, Senior Play and perhaps the most delightful of all our excursions, our educational trip to Washington.

As this period of school life draws to a close, we find it rather difficult to realize that we must leave the school of which we are so proud, the friends and classmates to whom we have become so close, and the faculty and principal we admire and respect. We have spent twelve years in preparation; now it is up to us to fulfill our class motto, "AIM HIGH AND HOLD YOUR AIM".

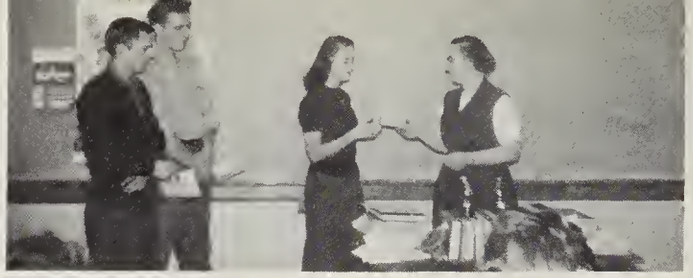
AND RELINQUISH . . . . . .

We, the Seniors of the Class of '54, Edneyville High School, State of North Carolina, United States of America, being of reasonably sound mind, do hereby declare this our Last Will and Testament.

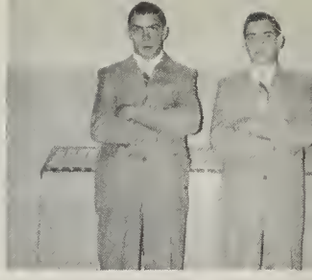
Bill Barnwell wills his outrageous laugh to Jim Bondurant.
Jerry Beddingfield wills his knowledge of block laying to Gaither Stepp.
Mavis Bradley wills her many hair colors to Catherine Rhodes.
Tillie Brown wills her charming smile to Betty Jean Rogers.
Betty Jean Clingenpeel wills her school-girl complexion to Doris Freeman.
Elizabeth Freeman wills her ha ha ha's to Jean Hill.
Amanda Corn leaves her neat black loafers to Ethel Byers.
David Corn and Frank Hill will their abilities to baffle Mrs. Burroughs during English class to Harris Pryor and Mack Brown.
Sue Dalton, Phyllis Cole, Lois Merrell, and Elena McMinn will their abilities to stay out of trouble to Joyce Kidd, Edith Paris, and Mary Ellen Lyda.
Joan Wilson wills her baby-like ways to Betty Brown.
Mary Jane Drake and Jean Coreill will their positions as office girls to Millie Corn.
Virginia Ann Enloe wills her friendliness to Georgia Edney.
Eulane Flynn wills her artistic qualities to Joan Jackson.
Etheleen Fowler and Peggy Saunders leave their quiet ways to Iris Laughter.
Mildred Freeman and Bobby Messer leave their title "Best All Around" to Mary Ada Gebe and Kenneth Justus.
Dollene Freeman wills her athletic qualities to Doris Lyda.
Jo Ella Garren and Winona Hudson will their positions as cheerleader captains to Peggy Hudson.
Viola Garren and Gail Maxwell will their beautiful clothes to Clara Mae Hoots and Carol Burch.
Dean Griffin leaves his worn-out broom to Gerald Rogers.
Peggy Hill wills her brilliant mind to Reginald Martin.
Curtis Holbert wills his knowledge of agriculture to Douglas Hill.
James McCraw bequeaths his pool-shooting ability to Donald Gentry.
Freddie Lindsay leaves his helpfulness with the Quill to Albert Alexander.
John Rhodes and Keith Moss leave their love for 'possum huntin' to Hal Edney and Johnny Warren.
Bobby Lancaster leaves his Saturday night hay rides to Fred Hoots.
Mack Jackson leaves his great sense of humor to Bill Corn and Frank Drake.
Larry Lynch wills his many freckles to Ted Davis.
J. Z. Maxwell wills his Plymouth to Ray Hyder.
Jack Jackson and Beatrice Jackson will their bashfulness to Jesse Duncan and Doris Engle.
Shirley Lyda and June Laughter will their love for the ball games to Carolyn Morgan and Janie Nix.
Sylvia Jones and Gwenn Burnett leave their knowledge of home economics to Jane Laughter and Shelba Jean Merrill.
Glenn Stevens and Jimmy Stepp will their knowledge of science to Richard Corn and Charles Freeman.
Ann Newman, Betty Jean Rhymer, and Julia Owensby leave their daily excuses to Dorsie Jones and Lula Belle Williams.
Betty Ann Rhodes wills her angora sweaters to Peggy Potts.
Carroll Neal leaves his dried-up jokes to Weldon Nix.



Marshals for '53

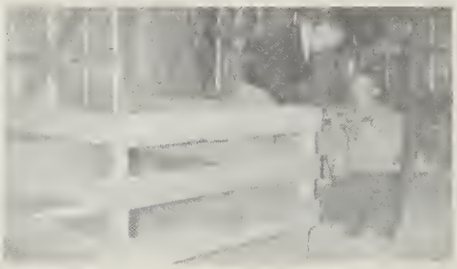


Trophies to our Supersalesmen:
Bill and Bob ... Camera for JoElla



Our Jackson twins:
Jack and Mack

Romeo and Juliet



Handy Andy

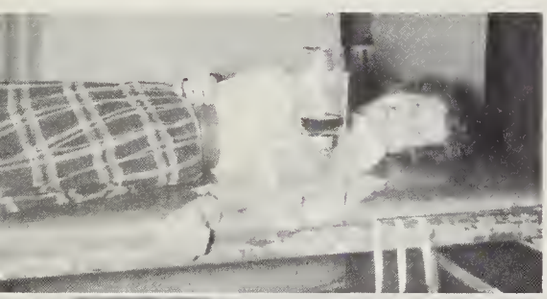
Curtis, Champion Dairyman

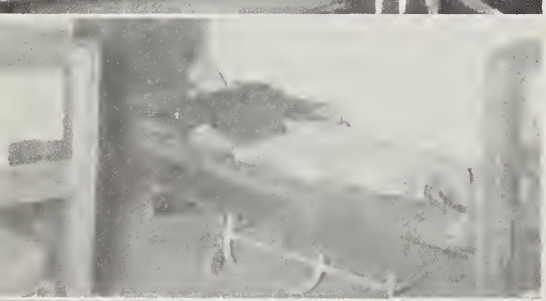
Shall we call him,
"Teacher's Pet"?

Mr. Atom and Mr. Bomb

Perfect Attendance

Others Among Us Who Have Had A Brush With Fame





Six pints make almost a gallon

Officers

JEAN HILL
President

BILL CORN
Vice President

DORIS LYDA
Secretary

JIM BONDURANT
Treasurer

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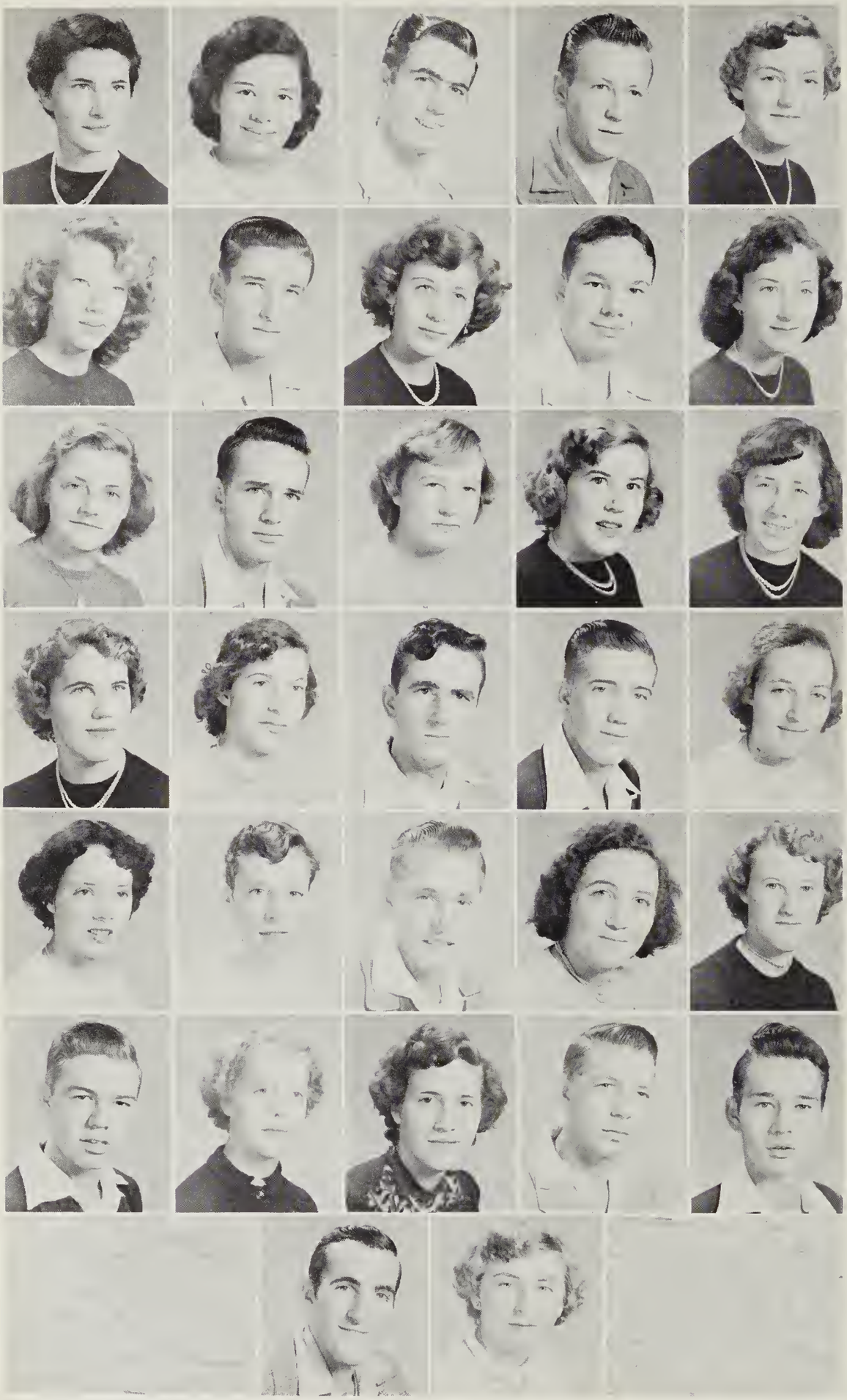
Juniors

Albert Alexander
Betty Brown
Mack Brown
Carol Burch
Ethel Byers

Bill Corn
Millie Corn
Richard Corn
Ted Davis
Frank Drake

Jessie Duncan
Georgia Edney
Hal Edney
Doris Engle
Charles Lee Freeman



Juniors

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Mary Ada Gebe
Donald Gentry
Douglas Hill
Jean Hill

Clara Mae Hoots
Fred Hoots
Peggy Hudson
Ray Hyder
Joan Jackson

Dorsie Jones
Kenneth Justus
Joyce Kidd
Iris Laughter
Jane Laughter

Doris Lyda
Mary Ellen Lyda
Fred Lyons
Reginald Martin
Shelby Jean Merrell

Carolyn Morgan
Janie Nix
Weldon Nix
Edith Paris
Peggy Potts

Harris Pryor
Catherine Rhodes
Betty Jean Rogers
Gerald Rogers
Gaither Stepp

Johnny Warren
Lula Belle Williams

Sophomores

Janes Ball
Edward Barnwell
Athleen Bradburn
David Brevard
Ann Clingenpeel
Charles Corn

Lois Cox
Donald Edney
Lillie Mae Edney
Paul Freeman
Marie Garren
James Gilbert

Betty Harrill
Bill Hill
Charles Hill
Donald Holbert
Dixie Jackson
Margie Jackson

Nallie Jones
Carroll Justice
Mary Justice
Mildred Justice
Dot King
Jerry Lamb

Kay Laughter
Barbara Lyda
Wayne Lyda
Arretta Lyons
Kenneth McMinn
Harvey Merrell

Kenneth Merrell
Sue Merrell
Randal Moon
Ronnie Moss
Jimmy Searcy
Robert Shipman

Jack Sinclair
Eddie Sizemore
Glenn Spicer
Johnie Fae Stewart
Elizabeth Taylor
Joan Thomason

Tommie Turner
Marguerite Wells
James Williams
Marita Williams

Freshmen

Ann Bradley
Stanley Brigman
Geraldine Bruce
Marion Burgess
Harold Cagle
Louise Clingenpeel

Louise Corn
Marlon Corn
Arthur Dalton
Porter Dalton
Margaret Dill
Geneva Duncan

Blaine Garren
Jackie Gebe
Earl Griffin
Marie Griffin
Lonnie Harris
Henrietta Hensley

Barbara Hill
Betty Jean Hoots
Pauline Hoots
Kenneth Hudgins
Gerald Jackson
Joan Jackson

Ledford Jackson
David Justus
Kathleen Justice
James Kesterson
Edna Mae Laughter
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JoAnn Martin
Richard McCall
Litten McCarson
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Mildred Merrell
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Elementary School

The nineteen teachers of the elementary school make a conscientious effort to give the six hundred thirty-six children the fundamentals of learning, a greater appreciation of the finer arts, and a sense of security in the day by day development of good citizens.

Eighth Grade

Mrs. Amelia Duncan, Teacher

We intensify basic knowledge that will function in daily living through correlated subject matter, group projects, choral speaking, stressing self-reliance, and wholesome attitudes.

Eighth Grade

Minor Wilson, Teacher

We intensify basic knowledge that will function in daily living through correlated subject matter, group projects, choral speaking, stressing self-reliance, and wholesome attitudes.

Seventh Grade

Mrs. Doris Glass, Teacher

Through group units, physical education, and creative arts, we strive for fundamental proficiency by emphasizing the importance of accepting responsibility, sportsmanship, and self-reliance.

Seventh Grade

H. E. Pryor, Teacher

Through group units, physical education, and creative arts, we strive for fundamental proficiency by emphasizing the importance of accepting responsibility, sportsmanship, and self-reliance.

Sixth Grade

Mrs. Gladys D. Osborne, Teacher

We work diligently to make our grades pleasing to our parents and worthy of promotion to a higher grade. Active participation in speech and reading classes create interest, and in our other subjects we enjoy having our teachers use the modern aids to teaching.

Sixth Grade

John H. Dickson, Teacher

We work diligently to make our grades pleasing to our parents and worthy of promotion to a higher grade. Active participation in speech and reading classes create interest, and in our other subjects we enjoy having our teachers use the modern aids to teaching.

Sixth Grade

Miss Marie Byers, Teacher

What? When? Where? How? Why? These we should all like to know; but in order to find the answer we must study, study, study.

Fifth Grade

Mrs. Margaret Ann Lawter, Teacher

What? When? Where? How? Why? These we would like to know; but in order to find the answers we must read, read, read.

Fifth Grade

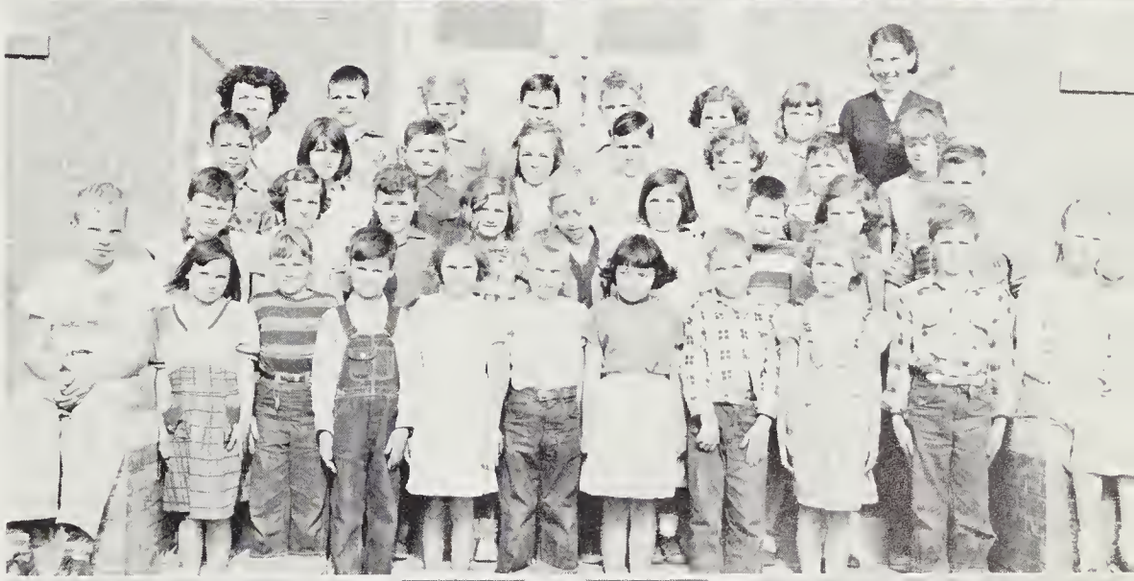
Mrs. W. J. Nesbitt, Teacher

What? When? Where? How? Why? These we would like to know; but in order to find the answers we must read, read, read.

Fourth Grade

Mrs. Mabel L. Brackett, Teacher

The objectives of the language arts are a continuation of those of the primary grades with more independence in reading and more emphasis on the practical outcomes. For the first time we have geography and health text books. Our boys especially enjoy the nature study.



Fourth Grade

Miss Alletta K. Plank, Teacher

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Third Grade

Mrs. Paul Pryor, Teacher

Perhaps the third grade is known as an age of collecting. It is interesting to see what our classmates bring to school each morning for the studies in science. We are also interested in health, art, penmanship, music, and reading.

Third Grade

Mrs. Lila M. Allen, Teacher

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Second Grade

Miss Opal Tompson, Teacher

After having had a year of working and playing together, we are now more independent as we continue to discover the fun in learning and doing.

Second Grade

Mrs. Agnes M. Freeman, Teacher

After having had a year of working and playing together, we are now more independent as we continue to discover the fun in learning and doing.

Second Grade

Inez McKillop, Teacher

After having had a year of working and playing together, we are now more independent as we continue to discover the fun in learning and doing.

First Grade

Mrs. Elva P. Drake, Teacher

For the three R's the foundation we lay
With pictures, stories, music and play,
The three H's too, we must surely mention:
Healthy, Happy and Helpful demand daily attention.
Good habits, right attitudes, means of expression
Are aids to a start in the proper direction.

First Grade

Mrs. Leola Marlowe, Teacher

For the three R's the foundation we lay
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First Grade

Mrs. W. W. Worley, Teacher

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With pictures, stories, music and play,
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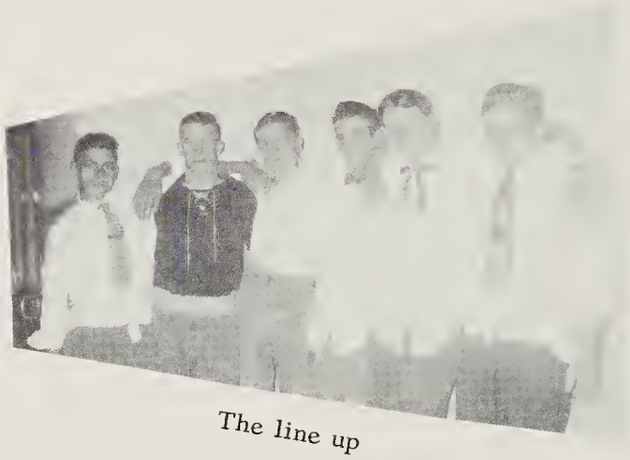
Just look at
that pose!

A good morning
to you, everyday.

Camera fright



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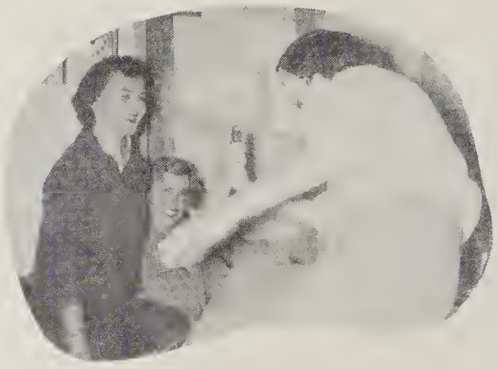


Out of bounds

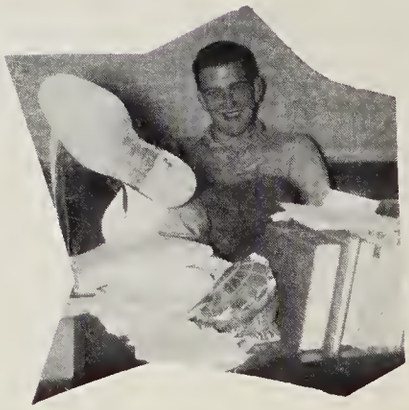
Ain't life grand!

College Day

Taking it easy

This is the results
of a day at the fair.

While the cat is
away, how the
mice will play.



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Joan and her 64-page question
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Frank's RUSH to meet the deadline

Remember, Eulane, these are ghosted sketches

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Shirley, Liz, and many pages of copy

A lot of determination and hard work with the combined efforts of the staff as a whole go into the making of the WHISPERING PINES.

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Membership in the F. H A. is voluntary. Any girl who has taken or is taking Home Economics may join this group which is striving to live better today in order that homemaking pupils' lives and those of their families may be better tomorrow.

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This national organization is dedicated to the advancement of a fuller life in rural communities.

F. F. A.

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Glee Club

President.....EULANE H. FLYNN
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Glee Club membership consists of those interested in better music for Edneyville High School. This group works with Mr. Mainwaring two activity periods per week.

Speech Club

President.....SHIRLEY LYDA
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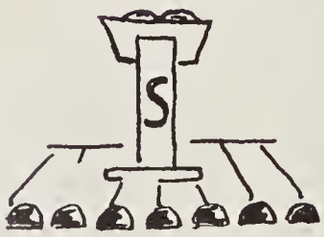

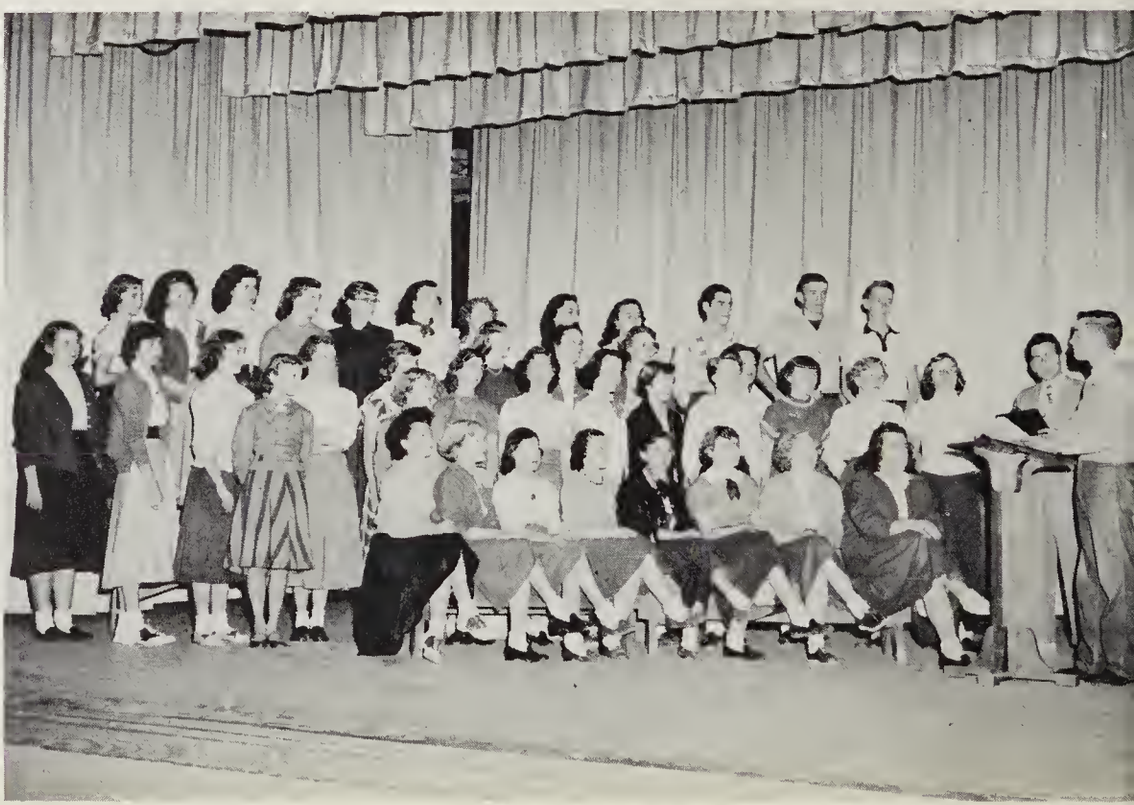

Girls' Double Trio

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The Girls' Double Trio under the direction of C. W. Mainwaring provides musical entertainment for public programs. This year the Double Trio is an all Senior group.

Science Club

Officers

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President
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Members of the Science Club are interested pupils among those enrolled in one of the three science courses offered at Edneyville.

Boy Scouts of America

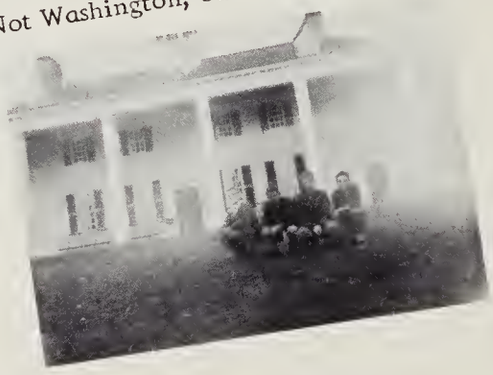
Boyd Hyder, Ronnie Cox, Harold Holbert, David Hill, Donald Barnwell, Scotty Pryor, Curtis Corn, Jan Huggins, Dickson Rhodes, Charles Nelson, Kelly White, Larry Simpson, Wesley Hill, Scoutmaster-Minor Wilson, Allen Hyder, Don Turner, Phillip Thompson, Darrell Thompson, Paul Sparfield and Charles Pittillo.

The Boy Scouts of America builds the character through activities boys enjoy.

Onward Scouts

That dear ole Jeepster

Not Washington; but at Mt. Vernon



A view of five domes

Explorer Scouts

The Explorer Scouts, learning to become better individuals socially, are a continuation of the scouts.

Lonnie Harris, Ernest Ruff, Ray Hyder, Jackie Gebe, Bill Corn, Jimmy Searcy, Explorer Advisor-F. E. Rogers, Kenneth Merrell, Edward Barnwell, Reginald Martin Marion Burgess, Mack Brown, Marlon Corn, Donald Edney, Tommie Turner, Charles Hill, Wayne Lyda and Jerry Lamb.

Folk Dancing Club

Officers

Presidents..... Jean Corriell
Mavis Bradley
Vice Presidents.....Weldon Nix
Carolyn Morgan
Secretaries..... Peggy Hudson
Mary Jane Drake

The aims of the Folk Dancing Club, organized this year for the first time, are to better acquaint the students with the art of folk dancing.

Bible Club

Officers

President..... Sue Dalton
Vice President..... Curtis Holbert
Secretary..... Betty Jean Rogers
Treasurer.....Marguerite Wells
Reporters.....Sue Merrill
Beatrice Jackson

The Bible Club stresses the truths of Biblical teachings. This club was organized this year and meets each week with Miss Flora A. Walhouser, a Bible Missionary of the Bible Club Society, an international organization. In addition to this work, Miss Walhouser teaches Bible in our Elementary school five full days a week.

This national organization is one consisting of those students aspiring to become the future teachers of America. Membership is open to Juniors and Seniors.

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PEGGY HILL
DORIS LYDA
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VIRGINIA ENLOE
BILL BARNWELL
Advisor - MR. LYDA

Cheerleaders Winona Hudson, Barbara Lyda, Sylvia Jones, JoElla Garren, Betty Brown, and Shirley Lyda.

Boys' Coach: Ray Lyda
Team Captain: Harris Pryor

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Girls' Coach: Odell Griffin
Team Captain: Ruth Carter

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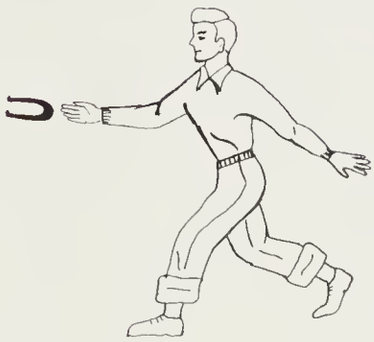

Girls' Basketball

First Row: Jean Hill, Doris Lyda, Captain-Ruth Carter, Dollene Freeman, Doris Freeman and Dorsie Jones.

Second Row: Marie Griffin, Barbara Hill, Joan Wilson, June Laughter, Virginia Ann Enloe and Coach-Odell Griffin.

Third Row: Henrietta Hensley, Ann Bradley, Shirley Ward, Carolyn Morgan, Pauline Hoots and Margaret Nix.

With an "E", with a "d",
With a "n e y",
With a "v", with an "i",
With a "l l e" --
That's how you spell it;
Here's how you yell it:
EDNEYVILLE! EDNEYVILLE! YEA!

When you're up,
You're up.
When you're down,
You're down.
When you're up against Edneyville,
You're upside down!
Yea!

Lean to the left,
And lean to the right.
Come on team
And fight, fight, fight!

Razzle, Dazzle,
Zazzle, Zip!
Come on team
And let'er rip!

Boys' Basketball

First Row: James Kesterson, Donald Gentry, Bobby Messer, Captain-Harris Pryor, Mack Brown, Albert Alexander, David Corn.

Second Row: Coach-Ray Lyda, Manager-Bill Corn, Harold White, Stanley Brigman, Hal Sain, Wayne Pittillo, Bill Barnwell, Kenneth Justus, Marian Burgess.

Baseball Team

First Row: Bobby Lancaster, Albert Alexander, Mack Brown, Harris Pryor, Fred Hoots, Marion Burgess.

Second Row: Dean Griffin, Gerald Rogers, Bobby Messer, Jack Sinclair, Don Gentry.

Monogram Club

First Row: Advisor-Odell Griffin, Fred Hoots, Joan Wilson, June Laughter, Sylvia Jones, Bob Lancaster, Kay Laughter, Barbara Lyda, Betty Brown.

Second Row: Dean Griffin, Don Gentry, Ruth Carter, Nellie Ruth Lyda, Dorsie Jones, Doris Lyda, Bill Barnwell, Peggy Hudson, Winona Hudson.

Third Row: Bobby Messer, Harris Pryor, Albert Alexander, Dollene Freeman, Doris Freeman, Joe Whitesides, Shirley Lyda, JoElla Garren.

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Edneyville's entry in the Apple Harvest Festival

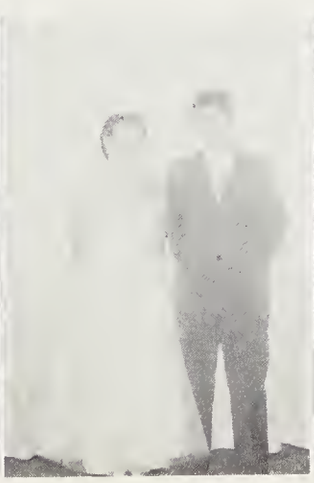
Halloween King and Queen
Larry Lynch and Ann Bradley

FALL DOIN'S

Halloween Prince and Princess
Ronnie Corn and Betty Lou Hudson

Carnival Good-times

Senior King and Queen

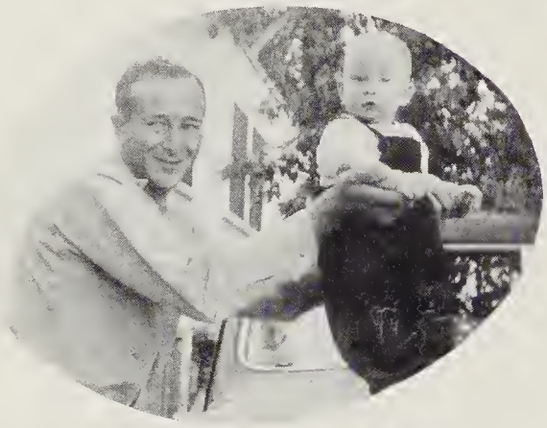


What's this! A beauty contest.

The three stooges

Rough-looking bunch

Could you do this?



Like father like son

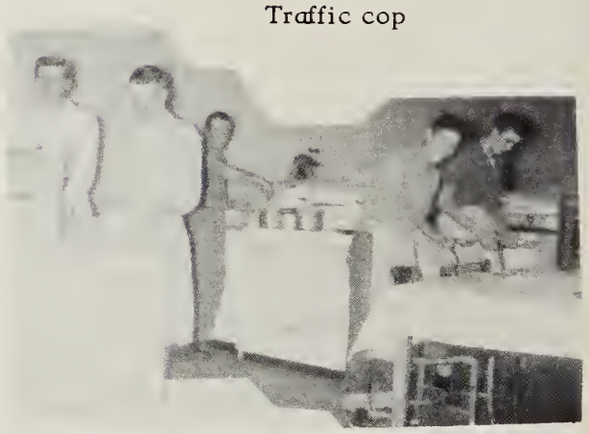
Interesting

Mr. Wilson's busy little bees

Good eh!

Traffic cop

They're on the doghouse now



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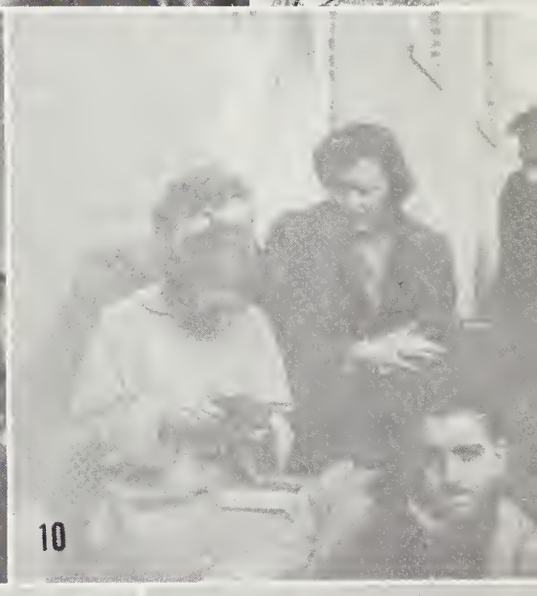

1. Five little heads of lettuce
2. Casing the bank
3. In training for mountain climbing
4. Sitting on top of the world
5. Our Sneak Day
6. It was a back step affair
7. Okay, you're out
8. Nice shot, Jean
9. And away we go
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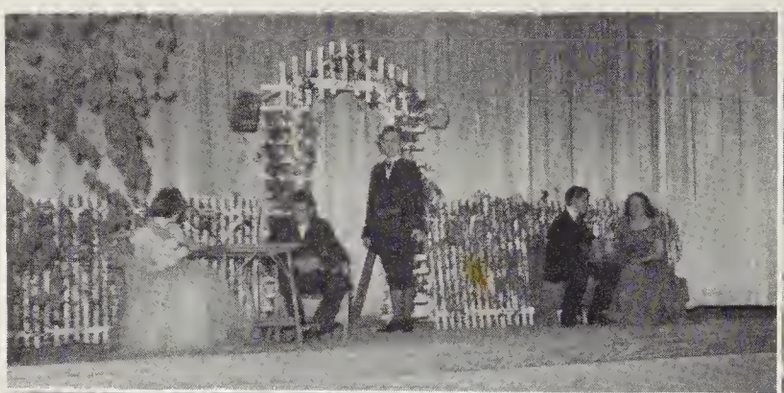

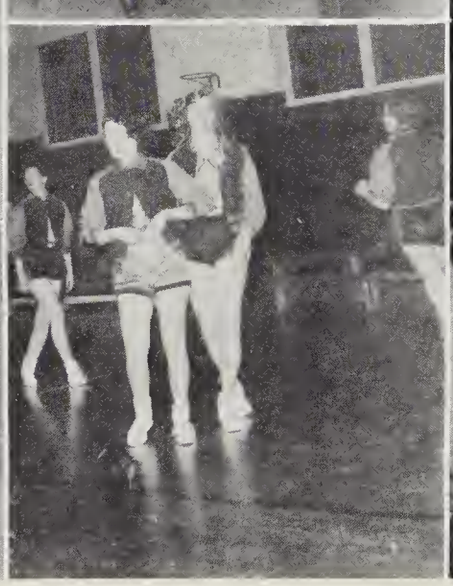

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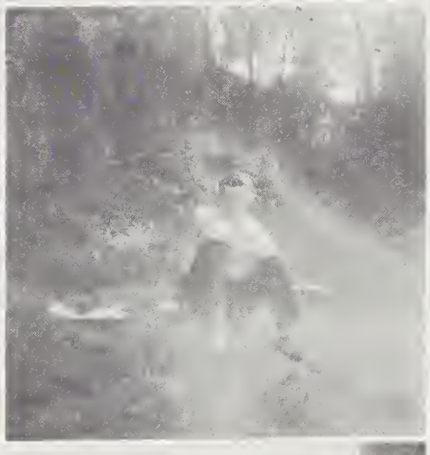

"-----and in leaving these gleams of life at Edneyville, let us challenge those who follow to remember that the development of independence, potentialities, and the acceptance of responsibilities mean a better Edneyville, Our Alma Mater."

Seniors Of '54

ALMA MATER

In the hills among the pine trees;
Reared against the skies;
Proudly stands our Alma Mater
As the years roll by.
May it ever be our watchword,
"Conquer and prevail".
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Edneyville, All Hail!

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We the staff of the '54 Whispering Pines have tried to present a clear and concise picture of life at Edneyville High School. How well we have succeeded will be apparent later. Of course, there are many incidents that could be recorded here, but they are recorded in our memories never to be erased. We have tried, however, to record the highlights of our life at Edneyville as we lived them. It is hoped that the reader of this book enjoyed and will continue to enjoy it as we have enjoyed the production of it. It is hoped even more that all of us who have participated in these recorded events will in time to come find contained in this book delightful memories of the Golden Years that are gone, nevermore to return.

1954 WHISPERING PINES

Autographs

As sure as a rat runs across a rafter you will get the one you are after!
Love,
Carolyn Alton

Best of luck to the best Tailor yet!
Hughlon

When you get married and live down South, remember me and my big mouth!

When you get married and have twins, don't all on me for safety-pins

Love,
Judie Alton

I love you little,
I love you big,
I love you like a little pig.
With love,

Like a rose grows in the garden so grow you after the Teacher's pet!

When you get married and have a baby
I'll make, you
call him

When you get married and live in a town
where you can't keep a cow
keep a goat

Autographs

Roses are Red
Violets are Blue
You are a good teacher
I like you
Harry Ballard

When you get married and live down south Remember me and my big mouth
Kay Higgins

Richard Barnwell

When you get married and live in a truck
Order your children
Down Degree Robuck
Darlene Newman

When you get married and have twins don't come to me for softypins
peter neal

When you get old and cannot see put on your specks and think of me
Joanne Rogers

Your a good teacher this I know because my brains tell me so.
Jerry Kidd

Barbara Moss

Diane Reed

When you get married and live in a shack teach your children to spit through a crack
Eugenia Sloss

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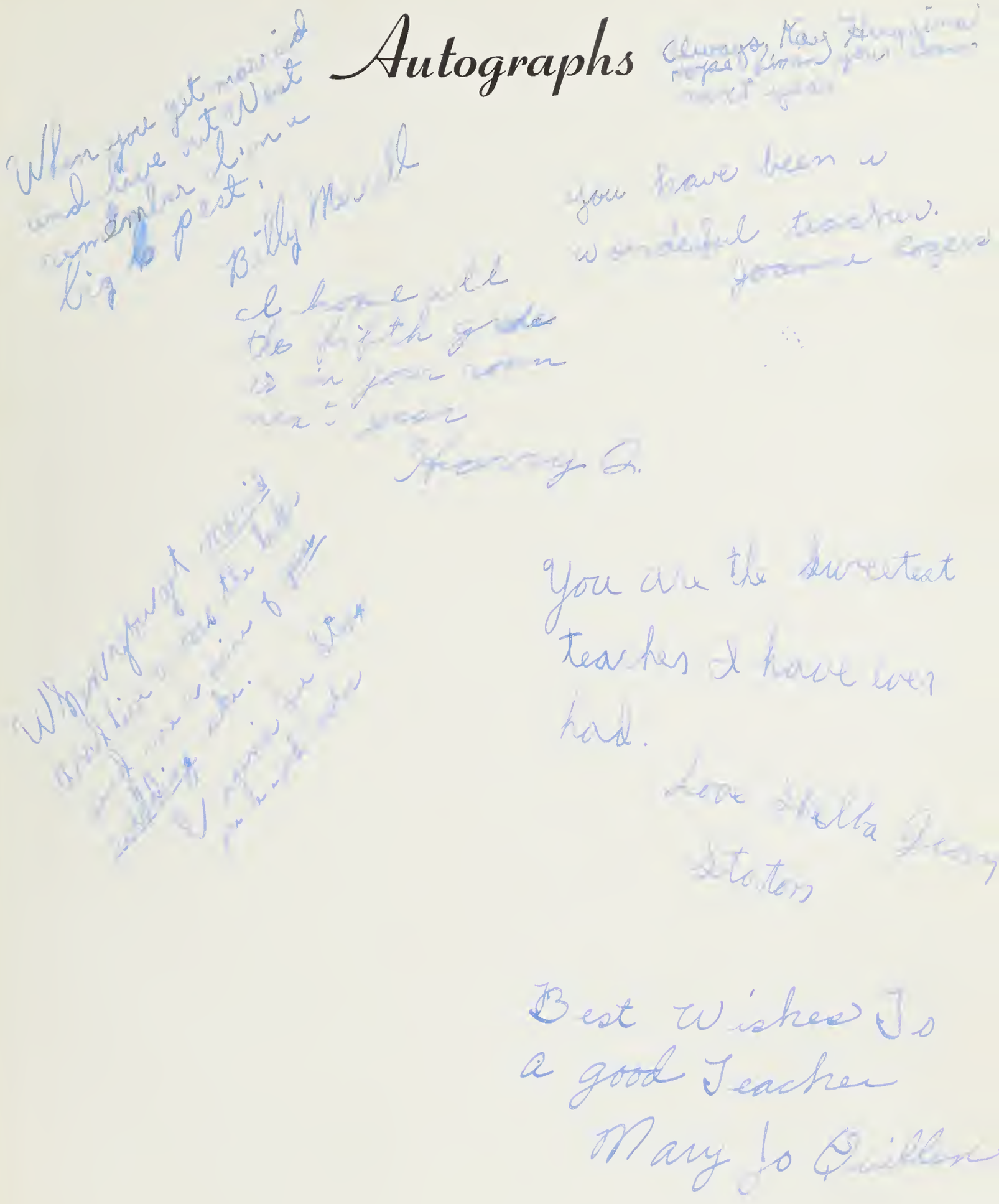

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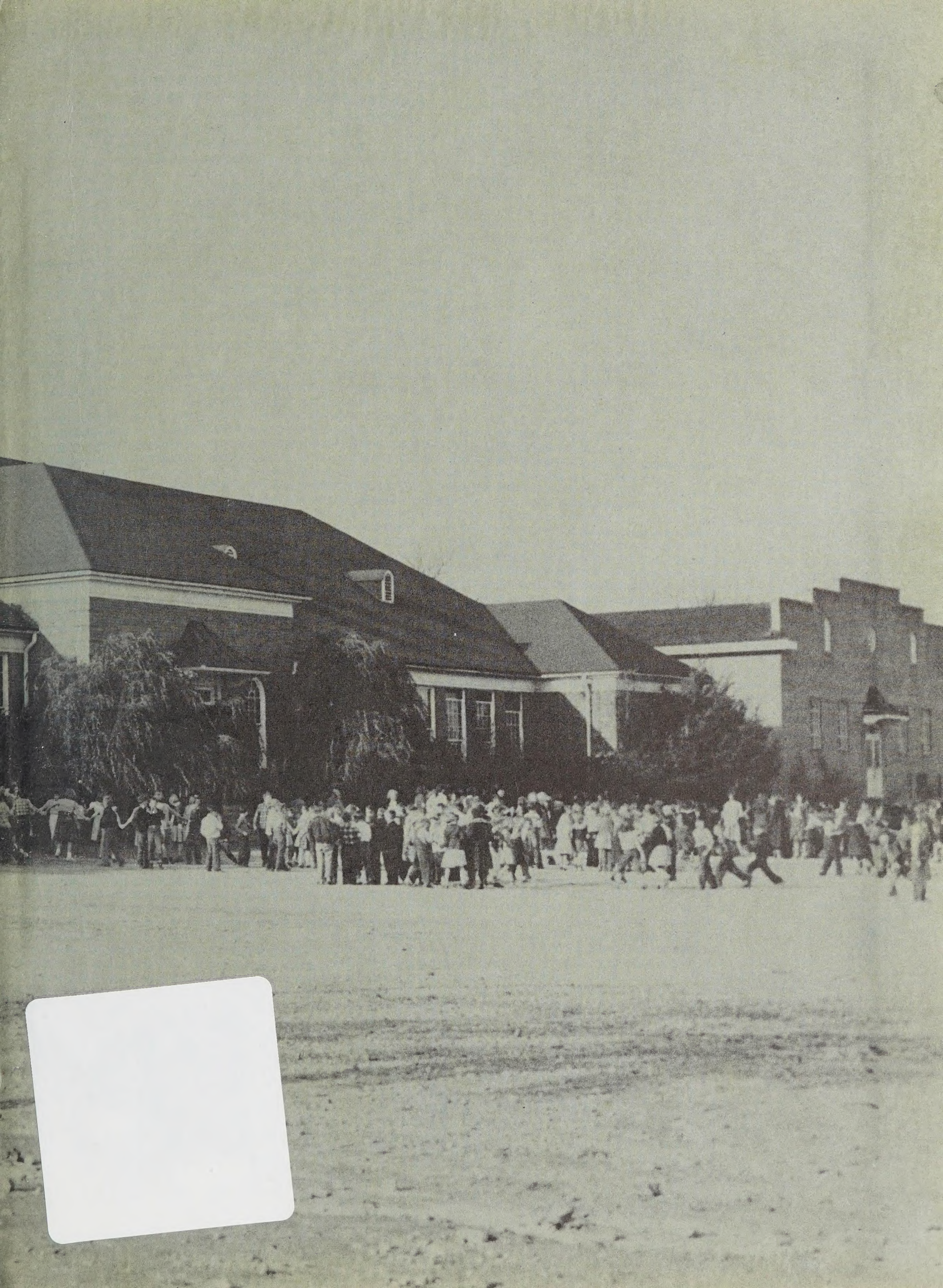

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